

SANDATA ELECTRONIC VISIT VERIFICATION (EVV): VISIT MAINTENANCE



OBJECTIVES



After completing this lesson, you will be able to:

- Use the Sandata EVV Dashboard to monitor current day visit exceptions
- Search and review visit exceptions
- Resolve visit exceptions



KEY TERMINOLOGY

Term/Acronym	Definition
Client	A person who receives services through the Medicaid program.
Dashboard	Real-time status of the current day's visit exceptions.
Employee	A person who is employed by an agency provider to provide care to one or more clients
Manual Call	Corrective action for the visit exception Visit Without In-Call/Visit Without Out-Call.
Reason Code	A pre-defined list of reasons/explanations for the various correction scenarios. A reason code must be selected when making a change to data in Visit Maintenance.
Visit	A "visit" is the electronic service provided during an in- person encounter to a client in a home and community based setting.
Visit Maintenance	The module within Sandata EVV where visits can be corrected and/or acknowledged.





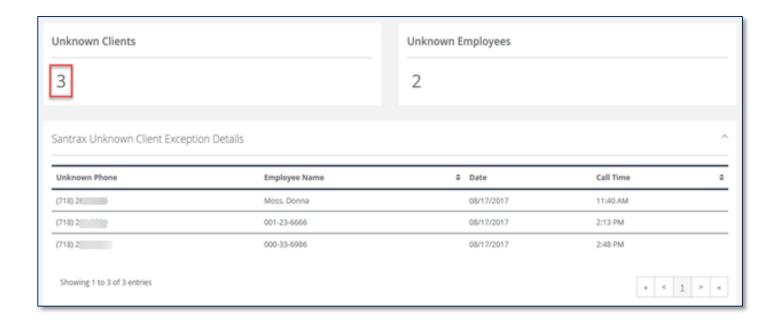


- The Sandata EVV Dashboard monitors current day's visits to identify two specific exceptions. These exceptions fall into two categories – Unknown Clients and Unknown Employees.
- The data defaults to refresh every five minutes but can be changed to refresh between 2 – 30 minutes. All exception types can be view in Visit Maintenance.



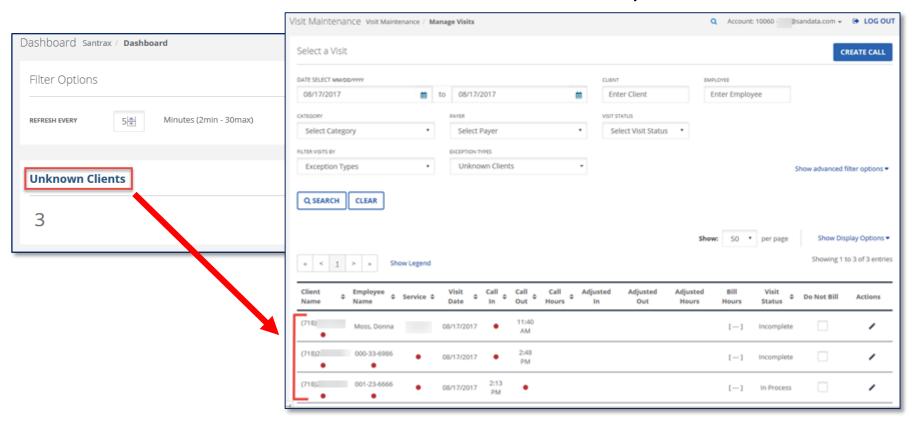


 Click the Exception category total to display a listing of the visit exception details for that specific exception.





 Click the exception category name to link to the Visit Maintenance module to view and edit the visits for that exception.





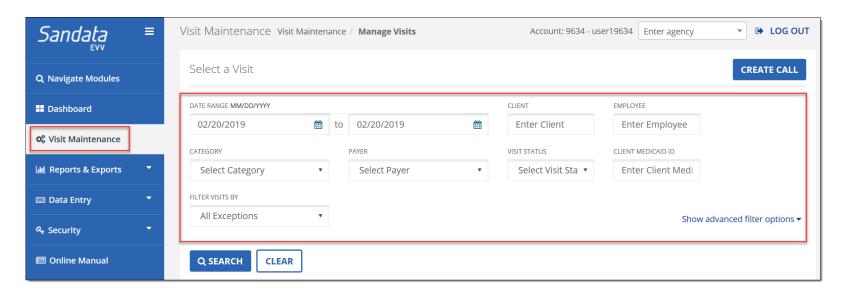
VISIT MAINTENANCE





VISIT MAINTENANCE: SEARCH FILTERS

◆ In Visit Maintenance, search filters are used to set up parameters to find visits to review and are located on the top half of the Visit Maintenance screen. The search results include all data that falls within the specified parameters.





VISIT MAINTENANCE: SEARCH FILTERS

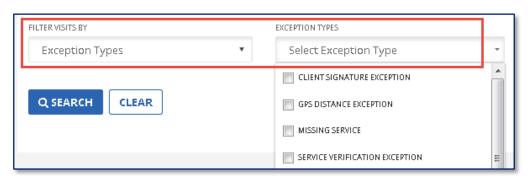
Visit status allows a user to filter the visits by their status.

Status	Description
In Process	A visit has started and not yet completed
Incomplete	A visit has exceeded a 24-hr. period and is still missing a call-in/call-out
Verified	A visit that does not contain any exceptions
Processed	A visit that does not contain any exceptions and has been returned to the claims validation engine at least once
Omit	A visit that is marked 'Do Not Bill'



VISIT MAINTENANCE: SEARCH FILTERS

- You can filter visits by all Exceptions or Exception Types
 - All Exceptions: This default setting displays all visits containing one or more exceptions within a specified time period.
 - Exception Types: This option selects visits based on the exceptions which apply to the visit. When selected, an additional field appears prompting the user to choose the specific exception type(s) from the additional drop-down field.





VISIT MAINTENANCE: EXCEPTIONS

Exception	Description
CLIENT SIGNATURE EXCEPTION	Client's digital signature or voice recording is missing.
GPS DISTANCE EXCEPTION	Identifies when a call-in/call-out time exceeds the allowable distance tolerance of 1000 feet from the client's home or another address associated with the client in Sandata EVV (e.g., school or work).
MISSING SERVICE	Identifies when the service provided for the visit is not specified during the MVV call-in or Telephony call-out.
SERVICE VERIFICATION EXCEPTION	Client did not confirm the selected service.
UNATHORIZED SERVICE	This exception occurs when an employee selects a service for a visit that does not match to the service the client receives. The exception must be fixed in the Visit Details screen.



VISIT MAINTENANCE: EXCEPTIONS

Exception	Description
UNKNOWN CLIENTS	Identifies when a visit occurs where the client is not known.
	This can occur when the Medicaid ID entered does not match
	to an existing client or the phone number entered does not
	match to a known client.
UNKNOWN EMPLOYEES	Identifies when the Santrax ID entered during a Telephony call
	does not match to any known employee.
UNMATCHED CLIENT PHONE/ID	Identifies when a client ID is entered during a Telephony call,
	but the phone number the call was made from is not a number
	listed for the client.
VISIT VERIFICATION EXCEPTION	Identifies when the start and/or end time have not been
	verified by the client at the end of the visit, either by
	confirming during the MVV call-out or verifying the times
	during the Telephony call-out.
VISIT WITHOUT IN-CALLS	Identifies a visit which does not have a call-in.
VISIT WITHOUT OUT-CALLS	Identifies a visit which does not have a call-out.



VISIT MAINTENANCE: IDENTIFYING EXCEPTIONS

- Visit Exceptions are indicated by a colored circle under one or more columns where the exception exists. The columns are:
 Client Name, Employee Name, Service, Call In or Call Out.
 - An exception indicates the visit is missing information or the information captured does not meet program requirements.
 - A visit may have one or more exception(s).
 - Hovering over an indicator displays a pop-up showing the description of the exception(s).



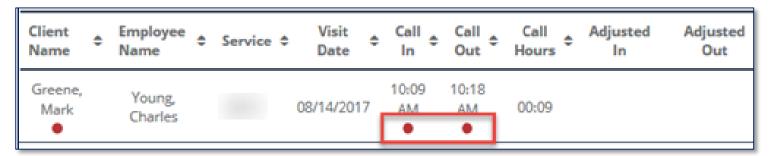


CORRECTING EXCEPTIONS



CORRECTING EXCEPTIONS: GPS DISTANCE EXCEPTION

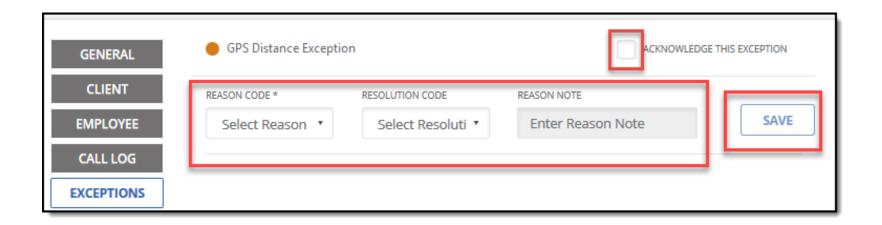
- ◆ This exception identifies when a call-in/call-out GPS location exceeds the allowable distance tolerance feet from the client's home or any other address associated with the client. This exception can be identified by the indicator under the call-in and/or call-out time.
- This exception must be acknowledged for the visit to be in a verified state and eligible to be matched to a submitted claim.
- 1. Click the exception indicator under the Call-In or Call-Out Column.





CORRECTING EXCEPTIONS: GPS DISTANCE EXCEPTION

- Check the ACKNOWLEDGE THIS EXCEPTION checkbox on the GPS Distance Exception line.
- Select a REASON CODE from the list that best explains the exception.
- Select a RESOLUTION CODE from the list.
- Click SAVE.





CORRECTING EXCEPTIONS: MISSING SERVICE EXCEPTION

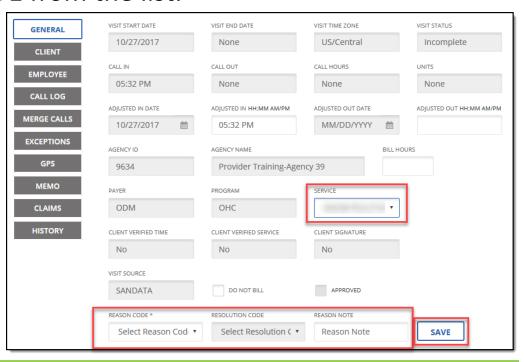
- This exception identifies when the service provided for the visits is not specified during the SMC call-in or Telephony callout process.
- This type of exception must be fixed for the visit to be in a verified state and eligible to be matched to a submitted claim.
- 1. Click the exception indicator under the **Service** column.





CORRECTING EXCEPTIONS: MISSING SERVICE EXCEPTION

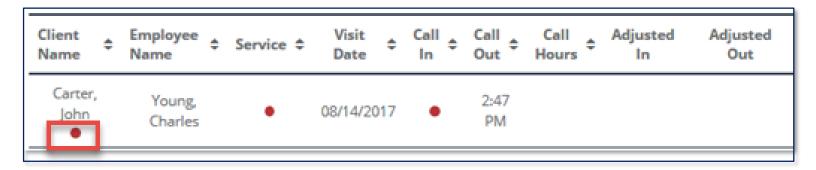
- 2. Select the correct service from the SERVICE field drop-down list.
- Select a REASON CODE that best explains why the service was not selected at the time of visit.
- Select a RESOLUTION CODE from the list.
- Click SAVE.





CORRECTING EXCEPTIONS: CLIENT SIGNATURE EXCEPTION

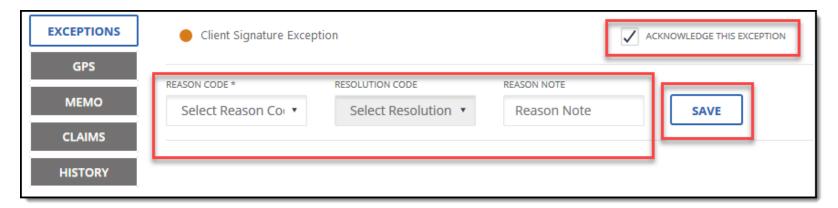
- This exception identifies when the client signature or voice recording is not captured during the SMC call-out or the client voice recording is not captured during the Telephony call-out.
- This type of exception must be acknowledged for the visit to be in a verified state and eligible to be matched to a submitted claim.
- 1. Click the exception indicator under the **Client Name** column.





CORRECTING EXCEPTIONS: CLIENT SIGNATURE EXCEPTION

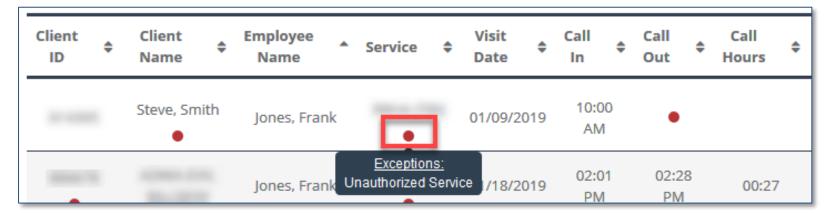
- Check the ACKNOWLEDGE THIS EXCEPTION checkbox on the Client Signature Exception line.
- Select a REASON CODE from the list
- Select a RESOLUTION CODE from the list.
- Click SAVE.





CORRECTING EXCEPTIONS: UNAUTHORIZED SERVICE EXCEPTION

- ◆ This exception identifies when the service selected is not valid for the client. Valid services are based on the client's association to one or more payer and their associated services.
- Click the exception indicator under the Service column.





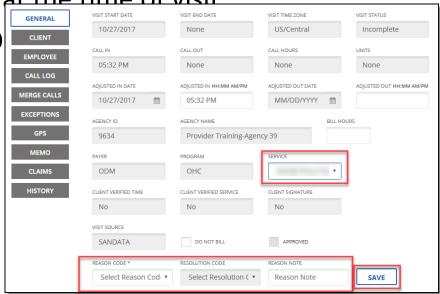
CORRECTING EXCEPTIONS: UNAUTHORIZED SERVICE EXCEPTION

 Select the appropriate service from the dropdown list. Note that the authorized services for the client must be received in order to fix this exception.

 Select a REASON CODE that best explains why the service was not selected at the time of visit

Select a RESOLUTION CO

Click SAVE.





CORRECTING EXCEPTIONS: UNKNOWN CLIENT EXCEPTION

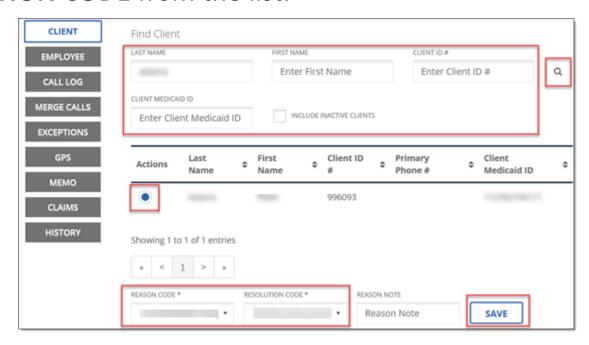
- This exception identifies when a visit occurs where the client is not known. This can occur when the Medicaid ID entered does not match to an existing client or the phone number entered does not match to a known client.
- This exception type must be fixed for the visit to be in a verified state and eligible to be matched to a submitted claim.
 - 1. Click the exception indicator under the Client Name Column.





CORRECTING EXCEPTIONS: UNKNOWN CLIENT EXCEPTION

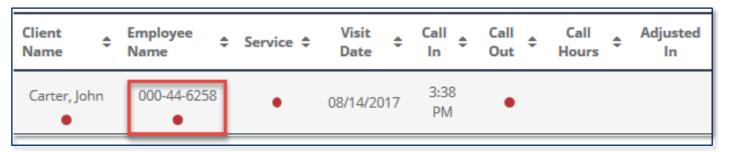
- Use the search fields to search for the client.
- 3. Select the client from the search results.
- Select a REASON CODE from the list.
- Select a RESOLUTION CODE from the list.
- Click SAVE.





CORRECTING EXCEPTIONS: UNKNOWN EMPLOYEE EXCEPTION

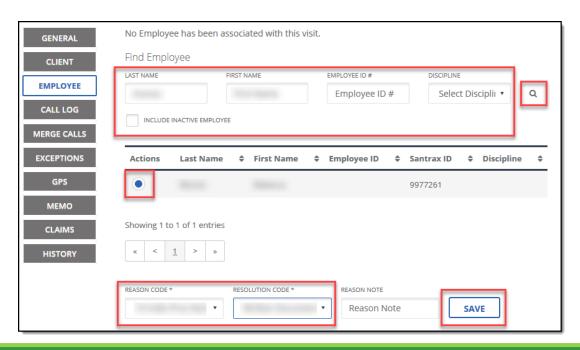
- This exception identifies when the Santrax ID entered during a Telephony call-in/call-out does not match to any known employee. The ID entered is displayed instead of the employee name.
- This exception type must be fixed for the visit to be in a verified state and eligible to be matched to a submitted claim.
- 1. Click the exception indicator under the **Employee Name** Column.





CORRECTING EXCEPTIONS: UNKNOWN EMPLOYEE EXCEPTION

- 2. Use the search fields to search for an employee.
- Select an employee from the search results.
- Select a REASON CODE from the list.
- Select a RESOLUTION CODE from the list.
- Click SAVE.





CORRECTING EXCEPTIONS: UNMATCHED CLIENT PHONE/ID

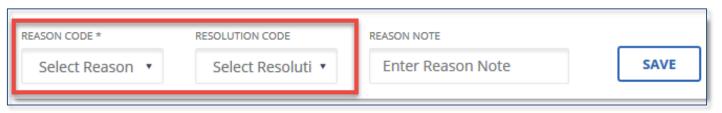
- This exception identifies when a client ID is entered during a Telephony call, but the phone number the call was made from is not a number listed for the client.
- This exception type must be acknowledged for the visit to be in a verified state and eligible to be matched to a submitted claim.
 - Check the ACKNOWLEDGE THIS EXCEPTION checkbox on the Unmatched Client ID/Phone exception line.

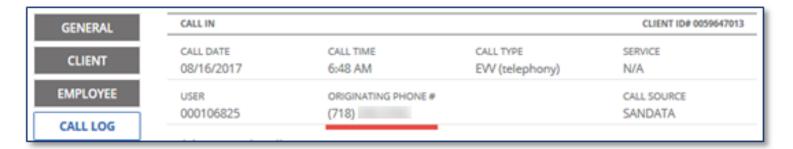




CORRECTING EXCEPTIONS: UNMATCHED CLIENT PHONE/ID EXCEPTION

- Select a REASON CODE from the list.
- Select a RESOLUTION CODE from the list.
- Click SAVE. The Call Log screen shows the originating phone number for the call.

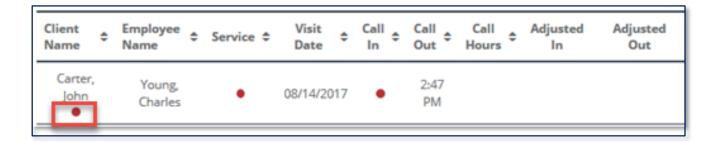






CORRECTING EXCEPTIONS: VISIT VERIFICATION EXCEPTION

- ◆ This exception identifies when the start and end time has not been verified by the client at the end of the visit, either by confirming during MVV call-out or the client verifies time during the Telephony call-out.
- This exception type must be acknowledged for the visit to be in a verified state and eligible to be matched to a submitted claim.
- 1. Click the exception indicator under the **Client Name** Column.





CORRECTING EXCEPTIONS: VISIT VERIFICATION EXCEPTION

- 2. Check the **ACKNOWLEDGE THIS EXCEPTION** checkbox on the Visit Verification Exception line.
- Select a REASON CODE from the list.
- 4. Select a **RESOLUTION CODE** from the list.
- Click SAVE.

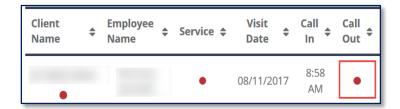




CORRECTING EXCEPTIONS: VISIT W/O IN-CALL/OUT-CALL

◆ This exception identifies a visit which does not have a call-in or call-out time. This exception type must be fixed for the visit to be in a verified state and eligible to be matched to a submitted claim.







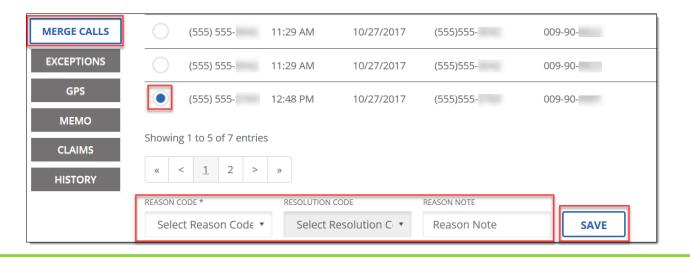
When a user clicks the exception indicator under the call time column, the *Visit Details* screen automatically opens to the *Call Log* screen.

It is recommended to go to the *Merge Calls* screen first to see if there are any available calls that can be merged. If there are none, the user can go back to the *Call Log* to manually add a call time.



CORRECTING EXCEPTIONS: MERGE CALLS

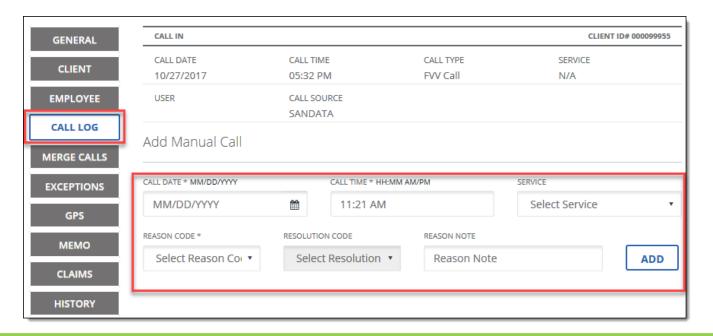
- 1. Click the **MERGE CALLS** link to see if there are any calls that can be merged to the visit.
- 2. Click the radio button next to the line to select the call, if there is a call to merge.
- Select the REASON CODE, RESOLUTION CODE, and REASON NOTE, if needed.
- Click SAVE.





CORRECTING EXCEPTIONS: ADD MANUAL CALL

- 1. Click **CALL LOG** (to enter a missing call)
- Enter the appropriate information into the fields.
- Select the REASON CODE, RESOLUTION CODE, SERVICE, and REASON NOTE, if needed.
- 4. Click ADD



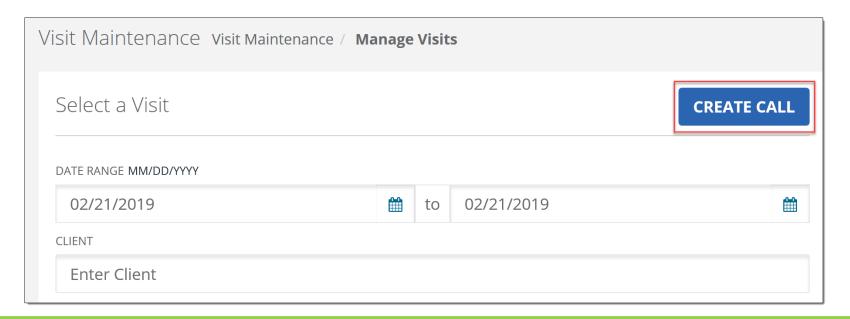






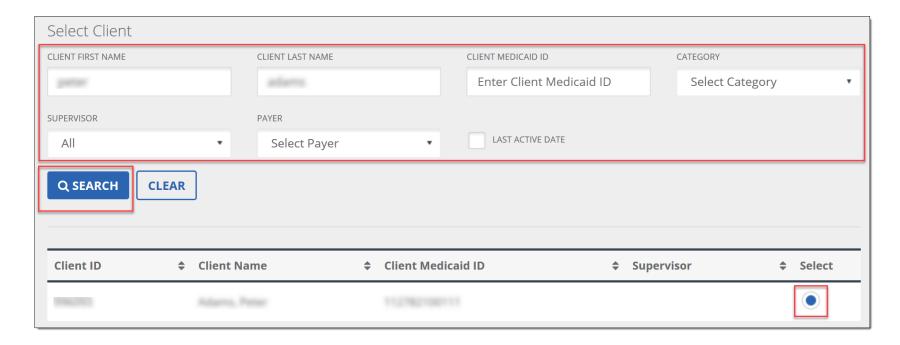
◆ The Create Call feature allows the user to create a call in Sandata EVV for instances when a visit occurred but the employee did not call-in or call-out.

1. Click **CREATE CALL** on the *Visit Maintenance* screen.



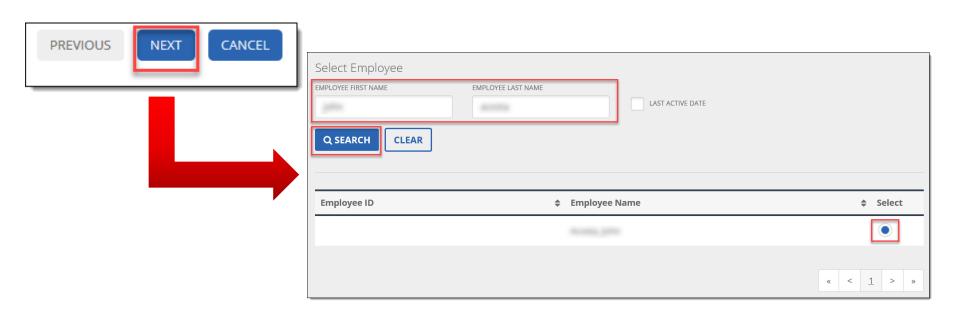


2. Search for and select the client.



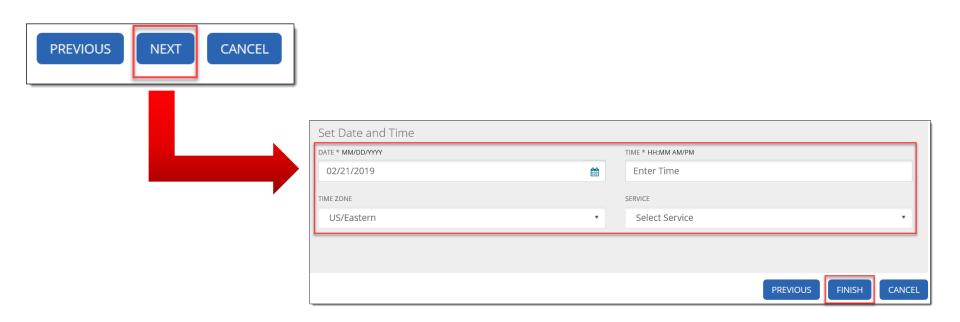


- 3. Click NEXT.
- 4. Search for and select an employee.





- 5. Click **NEXT**.
- 6. Enter the **Date** and **Time** details.
- 7. Click FINISH.





QUESTIONS...

